This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-7 (withdrawn).

Claim 8 (currently amended) A product including a medicament comprising:

a consumable center; and

a coating <u>comprising including</u> a medicament that surrounds the consumable center, the coating comprising at least 50% by weight of the product.

Claim 9 (currently amended) The product of Claim 8 wherein the medicament is selected ehosen from the group consisting of: analgesics; muscle relaxants; antibiotics; antivirals; stimulants; antihistamines; decongestants; anti-inflammatories; antacids; psychotherapeutic agents; insulin; vitamins; minerals; nutaceuticals; nutritional supplements; diuretics; vitamins; minerals; anesthetics; antitussives; bioengineered pharmaceuticals; and cardiovascular agents.

Claim 10 (original) The product of Claim 8 wherein the coating includes a taste masking agent.

Claim 11 (original) The product of Claim 10 wherein the taste masking agent is chosen from the group consisting of: zinc gluconate, ethyl maltol, glycine, acesulfame-k, aspartame; saccharin; fructose; xylitol; isomalt; maltitol; spray dried licorice root; glycerrhizine; sodium gluconate; glucono delta-lactone; ethyl vanillin; dextrose; sucralose; vanillin; and ethyl maltol.

Claim 12 (original) The product of Claim 10 wherein the taste masking agent comprises approximately 30% to about 99% by weight of the coating.

Claim 13 (original) The product of Claim 8 wherein the coating includes approximately 0.1% to about 5% by weight of a high-intensity sweetener chosen from the group consisting of aspartame, sucralose, saccharine, and acesulfame-k.



Claim 14 (original) The product of Claim 8 wherein the consumable center is selected from the group consisting of hard confectionaries, gummi confectionaries, confectionary starches, and compressible excipients.

Claim 15 (original) The product of Claim 8 wherein the coating does not have a shellac layer.

Claim 16 (currently amended) A product including a medicament comprising:

a consumable tableted center; and

a coating that at least substantially surrounds the consumable tableted center and comprising includes a medicament, the coating comprising at least 50% of the product by weight.

Claim 17 (currently amended) The product of Claim 16 wherein the medicament is selected ehosen from the group consisting of: analgesics; muscle relaxants; antibiotics; antivirals; stimulants; antihistamines; decongestants; anti-inflammatories; antacids; psychotherapeutic agents; insulin; vitamins; minerals; nutraceuticals; nutritional supplements; diuretics; vitamins; minerals; anesthetics; antitussives; bioengineered pharmaceuticals; and cardiovascular agents.

Claim 18 (original) The product of Claim 16 wherein the consumable center is selected from the group consisting of hard confectionaries, gummi confectionaries, confectionary starches, and compressible excipients.

Claim 19 (original) The product of Claim 16 wherein a taste masking agent comprises approximately 30% to about 99% by weight of the coating.

Claim 20 (original) The product of Claim 16 wherein the coating includes approximately 0.1% to about 5% by weight of a high-intensity sweetener chosen from the group consisting of aspartame, sucralose, saccharine, and acesulfame-k.

Claims 21-35 (withdrawn).

